

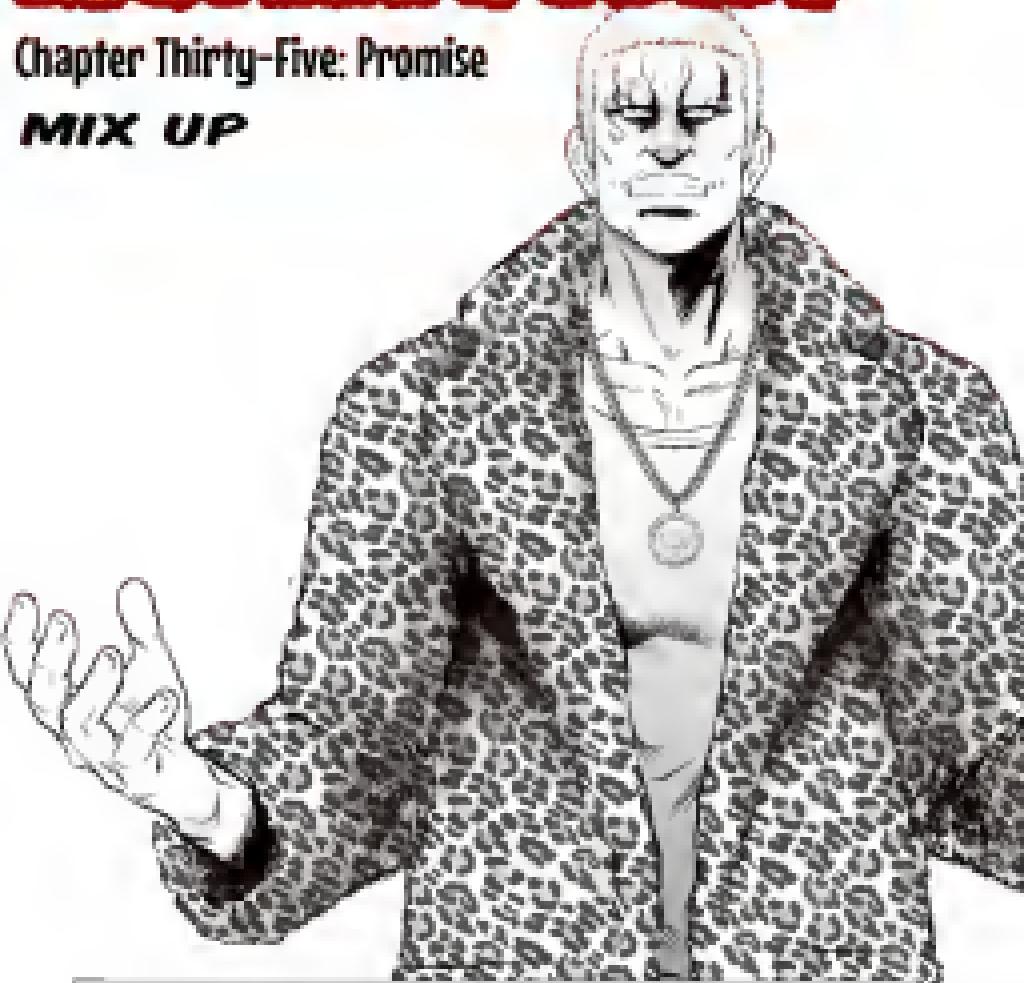
WHO THE  
HELL'RE  
YOU?!



# MONEY FIGHT

## Chapter Thirty-Five: Promise

### MIX UP



Sid Foundation Secret Services Captain

### **Yusuke Ugajin**

Japanese Kenpo National Tournament Champion.

Ugajin had plans to debut in the MMA circle, but his fighting career was cut short when he tore his Achilles tendon during a sparring session. Since then, he worked as a club bouncer until he eventually formed the foundation's secret services.

Handles all dirty work the Sid Foundation cannot address on the surface.



WHAT'S THAT?



POUND FOR POUND?



Since weight classes can't mix, it's more of a "what if they fought on the same ground" situation.

IT'S THE TITLE USED TO DESCRIBE A BOXER'S STRENGTH RELATIVE TO OTHER WEIGHT CLASSES.



That goes to show how much value there is to being the strongest boxer.

Soccer, basketball and golf don't even come close.



Right now out of all sports the pound for pound champ is the one making the most money per year.



...IT WILL  
MEAN I HAVE  
VALUE TOO,  
RIGHT?



THEN...IF  
I PROVE  
MYSELF  
TO BE THE  
STRONG-  
EST...



I CAN CRAWL  
OUT OF THE  
ITCH OF MY  
POVERTY...



...THAT IS  
MY LIFE  
RIGHT?

BRO!

ARE YOU  
ALL RIGHT,  
BRO??

BRO!

AM  
I SICK?

THANK  
GOD!  
YOU'RE  
ALIVE!



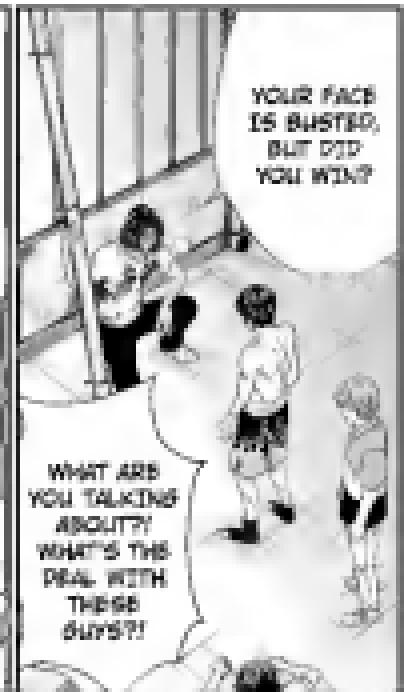
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TAKUNE  
TOLD ME  
YOU SAID  
THIS IS  
WHERE WE  
SPLIT.



WHAT ARE  
YOU TALKING  
ABOUT?  
WHAT'S THE  
DEAL WITH  
THESE BURST?



I WANT YOU  
TO TEACH  
ME MORE  
ABOUT  
BOXING!



WHAT?  
1

GET YOUR  
HEAD OUT  
OF YOUR  
ASS, MI-  
TARAI.



WHAT  
IF...!

COME BACK  
IN TEN YEARS  
IF YOU WANT  
ME TO TEACH  
YOU HOW  
TO BOX.

DON'T THINK  
YOU'RE HOT  
SHIT JUST  
BECAUSE YOU  
WON SOME  
PESSANT UN-  
PREDICTION  
BOXING  
TOURNAMENT.

...AND TAKE  
THE NATIONAL  
TITLE? WILL  
YOU TEACH  
ME THEN?

WHAT IF  
I BECOME  
A PRO  
BOXER...



THEN I'LL  
TAKE THE  
ORIENTAL  
TITLE!

IF I BECOME  
NUMBER ONE  
IN JAPAN, I  
WANT YOU  
TO BE MY  
TRAINER!

AND BECOME  
THE WORLD  
CHAMPION!

THEN  
FINALLY...

I'LL  
DOMINATE  
MULTIPLE  
WEIGHT  
CLASSES...

I'LL...

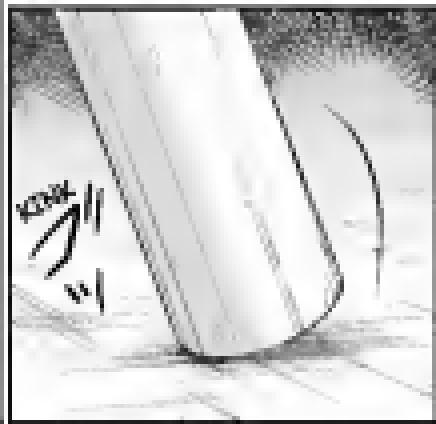
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I'LL BECOME  
THE POUND  
FOR POUND  
CHAMPION!



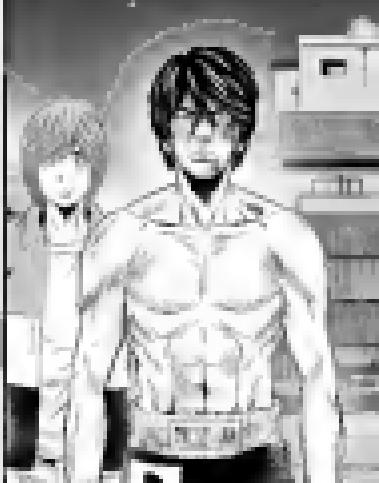
MITARAI...





THOSE ARE MY  
CONDITIONS  
FOR BECOMING  
YOUR TRAINER!  
GOT IT?!"

GOT  
IT!



LEARN  
BOXING  
FROM  
GENTARO  
TACHIBANA  
UNTIL  
THEN!

GO TO  
TACHIBANA  
GYM, MI-  
TARAI!



ALL  
RIGHT!  
IT'S A  
PROMISE,  
GOTOU-  
SAN!



I DON'T  
THINK I'LL  
BE ABLE TO  
KEEP THAT  
PROMISE.

SORRY,  
MUTABAI.



TAKE YOUR  
PLACE IN  
THE SUN.  
BUT... I'M  
SURE YOU'LL  
BE FINE  
WITHOUT  
ME NOW.

ANNE  
+1

BEING A  
COMPLETELY  
DIFFERENT  
PERSON FROM  
WHO HE WAS  
THREE MONTHS  
AGO.

I SWEAT  
TO KEEP OUR  
PROMISE.

THANK  
YOU FOR  
EVERY-  
THING.

HE FINALLY  
HAS A GOOD  
LIFE.

HURT  
OH...  
YEAH.

LET'S GO  
HOME,  
DAD.

BUT I'M GLAD...

I FINALLY  
GET TO GO  
HOME





TO BE CONTINUED.